

QUINCY POLICE DEPARTMENT
MEMORANDUM

DATE:

TO: Robert A. Copley, Chief of Police

FROM: Susan Vahlkamp, Records Supervisor

RE: **Monthly Report – For the Month of May 2016**

The monthly statistics are herewith provided for review and information. Totals from the previous month and for the same month from the previous year are also included for comparison purposes. Year-to-Date totals for the current and previous year with percentage differences are included along with other notable information from the department.

ITEM	May 2016	April 2016	May 2015	2016 Totals Year to Date	2015 YTD Comparison	% Difference 2015 to 2016 YTD
Arrests – Criminal	135	164	160	973	871	11.71
Arrests – Traffic	259	213	367	1402	1474	-4.88
Arrests – Juvenile	61	49	18	351	146	140.41
Ordinance Violations	110	112	122	592	460	28.70
DUI Arrests	8	7	10	46	50	-8.00
Speeding Arrests	43	23	33	141	160	-11.88
Speeding Warnings	48	43	37	177	198	-10.61
Seatbelt Arrests	4	3	70	20	176	-88.64
Seatbelt Warnings	5	6	11	24	36	-33.33
Number of Seat Belt Surveys conducted	10	10	10	50	50	N/C
Seat Belt % of Use	93.6	94.3	95.6	94.1	94.95	N/A
NOV's – Officers	41	23	48	178	288	-38.19
Warning Tickets – Officers	308	293	308	1440	1601	-10.06
Tele-serve	6	8	16	36	38	-5.26
Case File Numbers (Assigned Calls)	2930	2898	3089	13529	13787	-1.87
Case File Numbers – Animal Control	151	128	133	590	577	2.25
Warnings – Animal Control	1	3	0	9	10	-10.00
NOV's – Animal Control	3	5	11	15	31	-51.61
Recoveries – Animal Control	71	48	48	207	206	0.49
Domestic Recoveries – Animal Control	54	37	40	159	168	-5.35
Wild Animal Recoveries – Animal Control	17	11	8	48	38	26.32
Miles Driven	42,599	39,310	40,870	200767	197303	1.76
Gallons Gas – QPD	3221.87	2977.71	3503.68	15991.08	17944.92	-10.89
Gallons Gas – Animal Control	177.34	139.60	73.16	741.16	644.33	15.03

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Accidents Investigated	124	109	134	543	510	6.47
Injuries Resulting from Accidents	26	16	24	105	101	3.96
Fatalities Resulting from Accidents	0	1	0	2	1	100.00
Abandoned Vehicles Tagged	8	25	14	84	78	7.69
Abandoned Vehicles Disposed of	2	4	7	34	23	47.83
Sick Time Taken by All Employees	106.75	96.5	113.50	510.5	742.25	-31.22
Injury Hours Taken by All Employees	0	0	21	0	216	-100.00
Training Hours	571.53	826.50	1116	2250.94	3240.67	-30.54
ProAct Community Talks/Meetings	70	56	67	317	289	9.69
Volunteers in Policing Hours	116	142	81.25	666	444.25	49.92
D.A.R.E. Hours	17	31	22	157	159	-1.26

Illinois Uniform Crime Reporting Program Monthly Crime Index

Index Crime Offenses									
Criminal Homicide	Forcible Rape	Robbery	Aggravated Assault/Battery	Burglary	Theft	Motor Vehicle Theft	Arson	Human Trafficking Commercial Sex Acts	Human Trafficking Involuntary Servitude
0	2	0	10	22	78	6	2	0	0
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0	1	0	7	2	13	1	0	0	0
Drug Crime Arrests									
Violations of Cannabis Control Act	Violations of Controlled Substances Act			Violations of the Hypodermic Syringes And Needles Act		Violations of the Drug Paraphernalia Act		Violations of the Methamphetamine Act	
11	3			0		9		10	

Street Crimes Unit

Assigned Calls	Vehicle Stops	Other	Felonies	Ordinance Violations	Warrants	Traffic	Warnings
93	35	38	2	3	5	13	23

K-9 Unit

	Officer Tyler/Kilo	Officer Russell/Dioji
Vehicle Sniff	5 Searches/5 Finds	
Building Search	2 School Searches/No Alerts	
Other Search		
Training Days	1	
Demonstrations		2

Criminal Investigation Unit

Number of Cases Opened in the Month
39

Number of Cases Closed in the Month
40

Cases opened and closed are not necessarily the same cases

Closed Case - Dispositions	
Juvenile Arrest	13
Administratively closed	6
Prosecution Declined	4
Victim Refused to Cooperate	1
Unfounded	1
Exceptionally Cleared	2
Adult Arrest	1
Referred Back to Patrol	1
Guilty Plea	1
Completed	10

(Closed case dispositions may not equal the number of closed cases due to our capturing only those Illinois Uniform Crime Reporting Clearance Codes sent to the State)

Training Hours

Class Description	Number of Employees	Total Hours
Advanced Financial Investigations	2	48.00
Advanced Roadside Impaired Driving Enforcement	2	32.00
Emotional Survival for Law Enforcement	1	8.00
ERT Monthly Training	16	88.00
Fingerprint Crime Scene Training	29	32.95
Haz-Mat Refresher 2016	34	51.00
LEADS Less Than Full Access	19	19.00
Procedural Justice	18	144.00
Psychological First Aid Training	1	4.50
Sniper Training	4	9.00
Tactical Firearms Training	30	40.08
Taser Instructor Certification Training	4	32.00
The Heroes Path to Excellence in Law Enforcement	9	63.00
Total		571.53

Awards / Accomplishments / Promotions / Appointments

May 2016 Employee of the Month Officers Nick Eddy and Curtis Werries

Officers Eddy and Werries were nominated for this recognition due to their life saving efforts on April 8, 2016. At approximately 11:38 a.m. that day the officers were dispatched to a residence of a subject threatening suicide. Their life saving efforts quickly turned into a physical altercation with the subject who was intent on taking his own life, even if it meant forcing the officers to do that for him.

When the subject called 911, he told the operator that he was going to hang himself in his garage. He also told the call taker that he wanted to take an officer's gun and shoot himself in the head; unfortunately, this vital piece of officer safety information was never relayed to the responding officers. Upon their arrival, the officers found the overhead garage door partially open. They looked under the door and could see the subject with a belt tight around his neck, barely able to maintain his footing on a tipped over ladder. After entering the garage, Officer Werries grabbed the subject by the waist and lifted him up while Officer Eddy cut the belt. Once the subject was free, he and Officer Werries fell to the floor. Upon hitting the floor, the subject attacked Officer Werries in an attempt to disarm him. Officer Werries successfully retained his handgun, but the subject made several more attempts, at one point getting his hand on the weapon itself. Officer Werries was able to maintain control of his handgun, and disengage just enough that Officer Eddy was able to incapacitate him with a Taser. The male was then taken into custody and transported to Blessing Hospital for evaluation.

The quick thinking and reaction of the officers to the initial suicide attempt saved the subject's life. Their actions, poise and measured response to the following attack, a furtherance of the subject's suicidal actions, also prevented what was clearly becoming a deadly force situation from ending as such. The fact that no one was injured in this incident is a direct effect of the abilities of these two officers.

Monthly Highlights

From Chief Copley

- Attended City Council meetings
- Chaired weekly commander's meetings
- Attended CIALEE meeting
- Met with the United Way in reference to their involvement in the Anti-Drug/Anti-Violence program
- Attended the police ProQA status meeting in reference to priority dispatch
- Attended D.A.R.E. graduation at Baldwin School
- Attended the ServPro luncheon for police
- Met with all probationary officers
- Attended the department head meetings
- Attended the weekly legal meetings
- Attended the Mayor's prayer breakfast
- Received the National Peace Officer Memorial Day/National Police Week Proclamation
- Attended a joint police aldermanic committee/finance committee meeting in reference to the animal control contract
- Presented National Peace Officer Memorial ceremony
- Met with Madonna House
- Attended the Alzheimer's Association's First Friday Lunch

From Deputy Chief VanderMaiden

- Attended weekly staff meetings
- Attended the Citizen's Police Academy graduation
- Attended the Law Day luncheon
- Attended the Training Board meeting
- Attended the Teen Reach/QPD-Frederick ball site planning meeting
- Met with Bruce Guthrie from the District
- Conducted a sergeant's meeting
- Attended the St. James School D.A.R.E. graduation
- Attended the opening day of the Senior Police Academy
- Attended USDOJ COPS Procedural Justice training
- Attended a QPD A/V meeting
- Attended a police ProQA status meeting
- Volunteered at the Cops and Nachos fundraiser at Maya restaurant for Special Olympics
- Attended the Blue and White service at the Cathedral of Worship
- Attended the National Peace Officer Memorial at City Hall
- Had lunch in the plaza sponsored by ServPro
- Had lunch in the plaza sponsored by The Crossing

- Attended a meeting with the Police Commission

From Deputy Shannon Pilkington

- Attended the weekly staff meetings

From Pro-Act Unit

Submitted by Officer Kelly VanderMaiden

- Attended the monthly Crime Stoppers board meeting
- Coordinated the Citizen's Police Academy graduation at the Eagle's
- Made contact with Hy-Vee in reference to the upcoming kids' event
- Worked the kids' event at Hy-Vee
- Attended the SAFE Kids meeting at the Health Department
- Started to organize the Junior Police Academy in southwest Quincy
- Went on Y101 to promote Cops and Nachos
- Held the Cops and Nachos fundraiser at Maya Restaurant
- Attended the Police Memorial at City Hall
- Held D.A.R.E. graduation at Baldwin School
- Went to The Crossing preschool for their Transportation Day
- Made contact at Granview Church at the Junior Police Academy in the northwest section of Quincy

From Patrol

Information submitted by Lt. Dan DuHamel

Dayshift Squad 1

On Wednesday, May 4, 2016, officers were sent to a suspicious person call in the area of 13th and Lind on a report of a male subject looking into the windows of a residence. Officer Summers then saw the subject on a bicycle in the area and attempted to make contact with him. The subject fled on the bicycle and then later abandoned the bicycle near 12th and College. A perimeter was set up and the suspect was eventually taken into custody by multiple officers on the shift. The suspect was identified as Robert W. Eyler, Jr., who had a felony warrant for Unlawful Participation in Methamphetamine Production; a felony P/C ticket on file for Domestic Battery; and an Adams County warrant for FTA – DWLS. Through the quick response and a well coordinated effort, a violent felon was taken off of the streets of Quincy.

Information submitted by Lt. Kathy Schisler

Nightshift

16-11669. Officers Witt and Bangert were patrolling, looking for burglary suspects, when they saw Kent Humphrey inside a vehicle at 22nd and Sycamore that was parked at an odd angle. They spotlighted the car and the suspect took off running. Officer Witt pursued the suspect on foot, running through several yards, and jumping a couple of fences. Officer Witt was eventually able to take the suspect into custody. On Humphrey's person were items stolen from Nancy VonderHaar's vehicle, which was the vehicle they located Humphrey in. Upon locating VonderHaar, it was learned Humphrey was an ex-boyfriend who had been showing up and bothering VonderHaar recently. Humphrey is suspected of stealing VonderHaar's car, damaging the windshield, and stealing items out of the car. Humphrey was lodged on the above charges.

16-11451. Officers Ebbing and Russell received intelligence on a known gang member who had a warrant for his arrest and was also selling methamphetamine. Further investigation showed that this subject was possibly also in possession of firearms, even though he was a felon. Officers Ebbing and Russell continued their investigative work until they secured a search warrant for Stephen Mosley and the address of 730 ½ N. 5th. QPD's Emergency Response Team was called out for the execution of this warrant due to its dangerous nature. Officers Ebbing and Russell, along with member of QPD's Street Crimes Unit and members of the West Central Illinois Task Force, found eight firearms (one of which was stolen), ammunition, methamphetamine, paraphernalia, and U.S. currency. Officers Ebbing and Russell interviewed the subjects located inside the residence and logged all of the evidence that was seized. This was not a simple task as there were numerous subjects to interview, a lot of evidence to process, and they worked long hours to complete it. This search warrant culminated in four people being lodged in the Adams County Jail for charges including: Possession of a Stolen Firearm, Possession with Intent to Deliver Methamphetamine, Possession of Methamphetamine, Possession of Drug Paraphernalia, and Unlawful Use of a Weapon. Most importantly, due to Officer Ebbing and Russell's hard work, eight firearms are out of a dangerous drug dealer's possession. We can never know if this work prevented another drug related shooting or homicide in Quincy.

Several night shift officers assisted with both the Special Olympics Spring Games and with the Cops and Nachos Special Olympics fundraiser.

cc: All QPD Personnel

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